



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



February 1996

Location	Date	Time Local/ Standard	Path Length (Miles)	Path Width (Yards)	Number of Persons		Estimated Damage	Character of Storm
					Killed	Injured	Property Crops	

ARKANSAS, East

Phillips County

West Helena	27	1800CST 1805CST			0	0	20K	Thunderstorm Wind
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A school lost part of its roof. Several homes also suffered roof damage. Some trees and power lines were knocked down as well.

MISSISSIPPI, North

MSZ001-021

De Soto - Yalobusha

01	0100CST			2	0	0	Extreme Cold
04	0800CST						

A DeSoto county man died in Hernando from the cold weather. M60OU, M72OU

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De Soto - Marshall - Benton - Tippah - Alcorn - Tishomingo - Tunica - Tate - Prentiss - Coahoma - Quitman - Panola - Lafayette - Union - Pontotoc - Lee - Itawamba - Tallahatchie - Yalobusha - Calhoun - Chickasaw - Monroe - Clay - Lowndes

01	1500CST			0	0	500K	Winter Storm
03	0000CST						

A mix of snow, sleet and freezing rain covered much of North Mississippi. Between 2 and 5 inches of snow and ice accumulated across the area. Numerous trees and power lines were knocked down due to ice and snow accumulations. Many roads were closed due to the icy conditions. In Coahoma county, a carport was damaged by the ice in the town of Knoxville. In Lee, a metal canopy collapsed at the Saltillo Elementary School.

De Soto County

Ingrams Mill	27	1730CST 1735CST			0	0	50K	Thunderstorm Wind
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A house under construction was lifted off its foundation and laid to the ground. Several power lines were knocked down.

Tishomingo County

Tishomingo	27	1930CST 1935CST			0	0	0.50K	Hail(0.75)
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Tishomingo County

Tishomingo	27	1930CST 1935CST			0	0	10K	Thunderstorm Wind (63)
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A trailer was damaged. Several trees and power lines were blown down

TENNESSEE, West

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Chester - Hardeman - McNairy - Hardin

02	0005CST 1800CST			0	0		Heavy Snow
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Two to three inches of snow fell across the southeast part of west Tennessee.

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Hardin

02	1200CST			2	0	0	Extreme Cold
03	1800CST						

Two deaths occurred in Hardin County due to the cold weather. One man was found frozen to death near a woodpile in his backyard in Morris Chapel. A second man was found in his trailer in Shiloh. M94OU, M49MH

McNairy County

Selmer	19	0800CST			0	0	20K	Lightning
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A home suffered extensive damage from a fire started by lightning.